

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
SAVANNAH DIVISION**

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**CASE NO.:** 4:20cr46

**DATE:** 06/29/2020

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**TIME:** 9:08 - 9:32 a.m.

**v.**

**LOCATION:** Savannah

**PAUL PENN**

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**Judge:** Christopher L. Ray, US Magistrate Judge

**Courtroom Deputy:** Molly Davenport

**Court Reporter:** FTR-SAV

**Interpreter/Law Clerk:**

**Probation Officer:** Arron Miller

**Security:**

**Attorney(s) for Government:** John Clarkson

**Attorney(s) for Defendant:** Frank Strickland/William Dillon (retained - pro bono)

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**PROCEEDINGS: INITIAL APPEARANCE/ARRAIGNMENT**

- ☒ Defendant advised of rights
- ☒ Defendant advised of charges and penalties
- ☐ Defendant qualifies for court appointed counsel
- ☒ Not guilty plea entered
- ☒ Defendant's pretrial motions due within 10 days; Government response due 14 days thereafter.
- ☐ Government moves for detention:
  - ☐ Defendant requests 5 days to prepare for detention hearing
  - ☐ Government requests 3 days to prepare for detention hearing
  - ☐ Defendant waives detention hearing at this time
  - ☐ Detention hearing scheduled for:
  - ☐ Detention hearing held.
- ☒ Defendant released on an Appearance Bond
- ☐ Defendant released with supervision
- ☐ Defendant detained pending a detention hearing
- ☐ Defendant detained pending trial
- ☐ Defendant remanded to the custody of the US Marshal

**ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:**

The hearing took place via VTC with the expressed consent of the defendant following consultation with counsel.

Defendant was released on an unsecured Appearance Bond in the amount of \$25,000.00 without supervision.